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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Patent Application of:

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For: METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR
THE TREATMENT OF DIARRHEA
AND GASTROINTESTINAL SPASMS

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

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Sir:

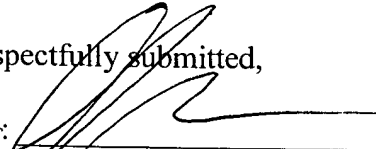
Applicant respectfully requests oral hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.194(b), this request is timely filed within 2 months from June 11, 2009, the date of Examiner's Answer.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 50-1165 (T2315-907789) any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper and to credit any overpayment to that Account. If any extension of time is required in connection with the filing of this paper and has not been separately requested, such extension is hereby requested.

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